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In re Application of

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

SIR:

**PETITION**

Applicants hereby petition for a third one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of March 16, 2010. Please charge our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412 the amount of \$620.00 in payment of the government fee for a third one-month extension of time so that the period for response is extended to September 16, 2010. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

## **RESPONSE**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.